THE SUN'S WAR NEWS IS THE BEST.

THE PADUCAH DAILY SUN.

WEATHER REPORT.

Increasing cloudiness tonight. Sunday, threatening weather, with showers.

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CERVERA'S LAST RAY OF HOPE VANISHES.

WASHINGTON, June 4; 2:45 p. m.---Admiral Sampson's official report says that he shelled Santiago again yesterday afternoon to draw the fire of the forts while the Merrimac made her daring entrance into the opening of the channel of Santiago harbor.

The act of Ensign Blakely and his seven volunteers, who took the Merrimac into the channel and sunk her, was the bravest act of the war. They sunk the Merrimac, but were captured. No lives were lost. Spanish prisoners will be exchanged for the Americans taken.

KINGSTON, June 4; 3:00 p. m.---The last cable connecting Cuba with the outside world has been cut at Santiago, and Cuba is now isolated from outside communication.

WASHINGTON, June 4; 3:10 p. m.---The sinking of the Merrimac will render it impossible for the Spanish fleet to escape even during a storm. It is the belief here today that Admiral Sampson will attack San Juan immediately and leave Schley to guard Santiago.

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Cardinal Vaughan Hopes For an Anglo-American Alliance.

New York, June 4.—A dispatch to the World from London says:

Cardinal Vaughan, in a letter to Mr. W. T. Stead on the Anglo-American relations, rejoices at the prospect of closer friendship of those who are one with English blood and language and ideas. The letter closes:

"Personally, I deplore the fact that the United States has chosen war with a weak power like Spain instead of arbitration, which was the alternative. But I would not allow such disapproval to stand in the way of great benefits that may result from an entente cordiale between England and America.

"If the two peoples combine and encourage each other to make justice and the moral law international and universal, so far as their influence shall extend, they will end by reinstating in the world the standard which the dechristianized civilization of modern Europe has laid low."

KENTUCKY COLLEGE.

Princeton, Ky., June 4.—The closing exercises of Princeton collegiate institute took place Thursday night at the opera house. The following were graduated.

Hamilton Caldwell, Louisville, salutatorian; Charles H. Phillips, Cairo; Misses Nannie Morgan, Alice Sheffer, Jessie Simmons and William W. Ensminger, valedictorian, all of Princeton.

Mr. Ensminger received the gold medal awarded by the Alumnae association for the highest standing in the senior class. Miss Lena Smith won the junior scholarship which entitles her to free tuition in her senior year. Miss Alva Tandy won sophomore scholorship and Miss Agnes Orr honorable mention for highest grading deportment in preparatory class.

CHICKAMAUGA CAMP.

Washington, June 4.—The secretary of war has ordered the Chickamauga park commissioners to proceed at once to enlarge the facilities of the park to the extent of accommodating 75,000 men if necessary. The commissioners were also empowered to acquire additional land, if necessary, by lease.

It is the intention of the war department to order all troops to the park as fast as they are thoroughly equipped. The object of concentration is to place the men in a healthy location and to locate them where they can be drawn upon promptly as the necessities of the war arise. Nearly all the troops camped at the park are intended for Cuba and Porto Rico. Few of them, it is expected, will be sent to the Philippines.

Secretary Alger intends to make Chickamauga a model camp, in a sanitary sense. The water supply is to be increased and greatly perfected to begin with. The drainage of the camp is also to be improved. Orders will be issued at once for the erection of a number of buildings for the accommodation of commissary, quartermaster and medical stores to be used by the army in camp and in the field. Bakeries in large numbers will also be constructed in order that the men may be treated occasionally to bread in the loaf instead of being compelled to gnaw "hard tack" continuously.

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BRAVE ENSIGN BLAKELY.

The Sinking of the Merrimac the Bravest Deed of the War Thus Far.

THE EIGHT HEROES CAPTURED.

Spaniards Claim That the Merrimac Was Trying to Force the Channel and Was Blown Up By Torpedoes.

ARE NOW DYNAMITING THE HULK.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, June 4.—Reports from a Spanish source received here last night announce that yesterday morning the American squadron opened fire upon the forts of Santiago. After a sharp and effective cannonade, which lasted from three to four hours, an American auxiliary cruiser, which is said to have been the Merrimac, tried to force the entrance to the harbor. The Spanish allowed her to pass the first line of torpedoes, but when she reached the second line a torpedo was discharged at her. It took effect almost immediately. One officer, one engineer and six sailors were taken prisoners. It is not yet known how many sank with the ship.

Only the extremity of the funnels and the tip of the mast of the vessel are now visible.

A second dispatch from Santiago states that it is believed that the Merrimac was sent into the neck of the port and thus prevent the escape of the Spanish Squadron.

From information conveyed by the prisoners it is believed they volunteered for this dangerous work and that none perished.

They were prepared for the explosion when it occurred

Port au Prince, June 4.—The sinking of the Merrimac was the bravest deed of the war thus far. Ensign Blakely and seven volunteers went with her and sunk her. The Spanish are dynamiting her hulk this morning but cannot remove it Ensign Blakely and seven volunteers were captured by the Spaniards.

VIZCAYA CAPTURED.

Key West, June 14; 4:00 p. m.—It is reported here that the cruiser Vizcaya tried to leave Santiago today and was captured by Americans. No confirmation.

GOING TO SCHLEY.

Key West, June 4.—The Buffalo and Marietta arrived here today and are loading their armament to go to Santiago.

SIGSBEE'S REPORT.

Washington, June 4.—Capt. Sigsbee is before the board of strategy today giving the plan of Santiago harbor. He says Sampson expects to bombard the town and attack the Spanish fleet when he destroys the Spanish mines with dynamite.

Something new and good; Lime Juice and Kola at Stutz's. 2j3.

Cherry seeders at Hank Bros. & Jones. 3j3

BRAVE SAILORS.

Washington, June 4—Sampson reports that when he called for volunteers to take the Merrimac into Santiago and sink her in the channel, four thousand sailors offered to go, out of which number Ensign Blakely and his seven companions were selected.

GOING TO DEWEY.

San Francisco, June 4—The second expedition to Manila of five transports and carrying 5000 troops will sail tomorrow.

A FRENCH STORY.

Paris, June 4—It appears from the information gathered here that Admirel Cervera, after leaving the Cape Verde Islands, "maneuvered so as to deceive the Americans, and then started at full speed for the Philippine Islands, where the fleet is to arrive today or tomorrow. His orders are to destroy Admiral Dewey's fleet and then intercept, capture or destroy the American transports on their way to the Philippine Islands from San Francisco."

RUN ON SPAIN'S BANK.

New York, June 4—A dispatch from Madrid says:

Very curious are the phases of the rush for silver in exchange for bank notes, in which it appears the speculators are playing on the intense ignorance of the people in financial affairs.

Thursday night the trains brought in large quantities of silver, one lot weighing 750 kilos. This was ostentatiously paraded through the streets to show the people that plenty of silver is existing.

Notwithstanding this, the run continues at the Bank of Spain, though being met by ample supplies of white coin.

NOT NEUTRAL.

Paris, June 4—It is learned that a large quantity of ammunition is being sent across the Pyrenees into Spain. The French authorities are not seeking to prevent this and many French and Belgian firms are engaging in the profitable traffic.

A HARD TASK.

London, June 4.—The Spanish minister here says Admiral Cervera never has been in Santiago harbor, that he had no occasion to go there. The Spanish correspondents are also sending out the same information to the continental newspapers.

There seems to have been an agreement in Madrid with every one except the minister of marine, that a new tack be taken to bewilder, if possible, the American commanders in Cuban waters. But the minister of marine hasn't caught the cue, and says today that Admiral Cervera was on the Colon in the engagement with the American fleet, and that the Spanish Admiral is still in the harbor.

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CIRCUIT COURT.

There has been nothing of interest in the circuit court today, and court will probably adjourn today for the term.

FUGITIVE ARRIVED.

Is Wanted in Tennessee on an Old Charge. Carried Back Today.

Henry Newberry, a raftsman of Dover, Tenn, was arrested this forenoon at Champion's boarding house, on Court street, by Sheriff Rogers on a requisition from Tennessee, charging the defendant with malicious shooting. Sheriff Rogers was accompanied by Deputy Sheriff J. J. Sensenby, of Dover, who arrived in the city yesterday morning to search for the man.

The requisition papers had already arrived, and were in the hands of the sheriff.

Newberry came down on a raft last night, and was soon located by the sheriff, and placed under arrest this forenoon and then turned over to the officer from Tennessee.

The charge of malicious shooting is an old one, the alleged offense having been committed two years ago.

The officer took his prisoner to the New Richmond house, and left with him on the Clyde this afternoon for Dover.

ASHCRAFT THE MAN.

Will Shortly Enter the Pension Office as Chief Deputy.

With the consent of the commissioner of pensions, received by Pension Agent Combs, Maj. William P. McDowell has formally assumed the position of designated clerk in the pension office. The appointment is still temporary, but will be made permanent on July 1. when President McKinley promulges his list of civil service modifications. Maj. McDowell is an excellent man for the place.

Maj. J. H. Ashcraft, of Paducah, is expected here in a day or two. He will go into the pension office and be instructed as to the duties of chief clerk, which position he will assume on July 1, when the civil service modifications go into effect. Mr. Hugh R. Manning, the incumbent, is a democrat, and that is the only objection Pension Agent Combs has to retaining him —Louisville Times.

Buy the best lawn mower of Hank Bros. & Jones. 3j3

FOR BRYAN, OF COURSE.

The examination of applicants for the appointment to the West Point cadetship took place at the high school building this morning, under the direction of Supt. McBroom, of the Paducah public schools; Prof. Edgar Barnes, of Murray, and Prof. H. V. McChesney, of Livingston county.

The questions were comparatively easy, and are only to determine which young man is to receive the appointment to West Point. There will then be another examination before the successful applicant is admitted to the academy.

The first question on the list was: "Are your parents Bryan democrats?" or words to that effect.

One young man said in reply: "My father is; my mother is not yet a voter."

The indications are that the examination will last most of the day, as there are a good many questions to answer.

The young men who participated in the examination were:

J. Henry Orme, Robert Quarles and James Caldwell, of Paducah; Thomas Jennings, of Bardwell; Jas. L. Price, of Fair Dealing; Charles Helley, Jr., of Lamont; Drew Luten, of Cayce; W. R. Mizell, of Arlington.

It will likely be some time before the result is known, as the answers to the questions will be tabulated by the examiners and forwarded to Congressman Wheeler, who will then make the appointment as he sees fit.

FAIR GOUND PRIVILEGES FOR SALE.

Bids in writing will be received at the Secretary's office, corner Second and Broadway, until noon, Tuesday, June 7, for privileges of the Beer and Lunch Stands, July 4th Celebration, "Uncle Sam's Day." Flag raising, public speaking, horse races, dancing, music, barbecue and picnic, etc., etc, celebrating American victories and Old Glory.

July 21st, and 22d, horse races; October 11, 12, 13 and 14th Fair and Races, and such other occasions as these privileges may be granted.

Parties securing same will be required to execute contract with usual security. Right reserved to reject any or all bids. Bids must be made collectively for all the above occasions, stating the amounts to be paid for each separately. Full information will be given on application.

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Committee.

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

TENTH STREET CHRISTIAN—All members are requested and urged to attend the morning service at the church tomorrow morning, in accord with circular letters sent each member. It is very important for all to be present.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN—Children's day services at 11 a. m. A special program has been prepared. At 2:30 p. m. Sunday school; at 8 p. m. regular preaching by the pastor; prayer meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. Everyone invited.

FIRST BAPTIST—Services at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Subject of morning service "Experience Maketh Hope," Rom. 5:4; evening, "Vanity of Man Apart From Immortality," Ps. 39:5.
W. K. PENROD, Pastor.

BROADWAY METHODIST—Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., C. B. Hatfield superintendent. Preaching 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m. Junior league 4 p. m. Epworth league Monday 8 p. mr Prayemeeting Wednesday 8 p m. led by Rev. W. A Freeman, followed by Quarterly conference. A cordial invitation is extended to all the services. H. B. JOHNSON, Pastor.

GERMAN LUTHERAN—German services 10:15 a. m.; English services 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school 9 a. m. "Gemeinde-Versammlung" at 2:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services. J. H. Hartenberger, pastor.

SECOND BAPTIST—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. W. A. Vantrese, superintendent. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., by the pastor. Young people's meeting Tuesday evening and regular weekly prayer service Thursday evening at 8:00. The public cordially invited and gladly welcomed to all services.

Children's Day service at the First Presbyterian church Sunday morning.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL—There will be no services at the German Evangelical church tomorrow. Sunday school usual hour.

SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION—The superintendents of the several Sunday schools interested in the Sunday school union which is to hold a convention in this city are requested to take up a special collection on Sunday, June 5th, (tomorrowt) to be used in meeting a part of the cash expenses incurred in holding said union meeting.
S. B. CALDWELL,
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Finance Committee.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Childrens' Day services conducted at 10:45 a. m. Senior Endeavor 7 p. m. Preaching 8 p. m. by the pastor. All are cordially invited to attend. The Ladies' Aid society will meet in the church Monday at 3 p. m. and the board of officers will meet at 8 p. m.

PROGRAM.

Song—Our Youth are Marching On.
Scripture Reading—Pearl Kirkpatrick.
Prayer—By the superintendent.
Duet, vocal—Marguerite Wood and Jessie Ellis.
Recitation—By six little girls.
Recitation—Use of Flowers.
Song—Flossie Craig.
Recitation—Three little boys.
Reading—Battle Hymn of the Republic.
Song—Marguerite Wood.
Recitation—Four boys.
Flag song.
Ten minutes sermon to the children by the pastor.
Song—America.
Collection.
Farewell song.

FIRST CHRISTIAN—Southeast corner of Seventh and Jefferson streets. Morning services at 10:45. Subject: "A Creed Proposed by Christ." At 8:00 p. m. there will be a "Children's Day" exercise. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. F. B. May, superintendent. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:00 p. m.

The following program will be given at the First Christian church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock:

PART I.

Processional.
Song—"Onward We are Marching"—School.
Invocation—Pastor.
Scripture Reading—Jim Caldwell.
Song—"The Day Has Come"—School.
Welcome Address—Garth Ferguson.
Song—"Send the Light"—School.
"China," a paper—Ethel Brooks.
Song—"Come Over and Help Us"—Julia Dabney.
"Faithful Little Workers"—Class of boys and girls.
Recitation—"Children's Day"—May Bradshaw.
Song—"Little Candles"—Primary class.
"Learn to Give"—Allie McAnaly.
Two-Minute Address—Vaughan Dabney.
Offeratory—"Suffer Little Children to Come Unto Me"—Choir.

PART II.

"Rally Song"—School.
Response Reading.
"India," a paper—Harrold Amoss.
America Sending the Ligkt—Misses Whitfield, Langston, Barry, Nelson, McBroom, Wallace, McCutcheon, Haley, Pell, Hall, Bondurant, Roark, Gregory, Karnes.
Song—"Child's Evening Prayer"—Willie Willis.
"Is It Nothing to You?"—Maxey Whitnell.
Our Hero Missionaries.
Song—"Scatter Sunshine"—School.
Benediction.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1898.

IT would be a most courteous act for Schley and Sampson to ship into Santiago bay a cargo of ice to Cervera. In the mountain-locked bay the breezes make but few ripples on its surface, while the sun's rays come down by the shortest route.

WITH 15,000 infantry on the hills around Santiago to assist in the capture of Cervera, the sight would be a military comedy. The chief point with the infantry would be to keep out of shelling distance and watch the smoke that so gracefully curls from the fleet.

A GREAT deal of talk is being had about the probable bulk of the incoming wheat crop, and it is being pretty generally written down that it will be 600,000,000 bushels or over. This being the case, why should flour be adulterated with corn and the hog crop neglected?

DEWEY evidently loves a gun. He is now raising them from the batteries of the sunken ships in Manila bay. There is nothing so consolatory to a fighting man as plenty of good guns, ammunition and accurate marksmen. It is probable some of those captured Spanish guns may give a good account of themselves in the hands of U. S. soldiers.

IT is claimed by the Spanish that Cervera is not at Santiago at all, but is rapidly nearing Manila. If we could only believe this, the whole nation would shout at once so loud that the stars would vibrate. If Dewey could only have a couple of hours practice on Cervera's fleet he would send it to the shades below to join the wreck of Montejo's squadron.

THE main dependence of Spain is on Cervera and Camara—one of whom is safely bottled and corked up in Santiago harbor, and the other still hugging the shore at Cadiz. In a few days Cervera will cease to be a factor offensive or defensive, and the question will then be, What next? It will then appear that the war is petered out for lack of material to fight.

THE report of the destruction of a coal boat in the entrance of Santiago harbor has a peculiar and fishy flavor about it. Why the Admirals should send a collier 5000 feet into the harbor is hard to determine, unless it was in the hope of the boat being destroyed by a torpedo and serving as an obstruction in the channel. It is more than probable a pipe dream of naval warfare by some fellow seeking a sensation.

AFTER all the boasting and prancing the crack Kentucky regiment (?) was the last to fill up and leave the state. This is the same regiment which declared it was ready when the first call was made. The boys are all right and a brave and gallant set, but perhaps some of the bloviating officers will ascertain in the friction of army life, their true worth and calibre, as well as that the world does not revolve around them exclusively. They will find "there are others."

SAN DOMINGO people have gone into the revolutionary business again. That country is a fighting republic. Its people cannot live together without trying to cut the throats of their neighbors. Those unfortunate people cannot understand the difference between abstract natural rights and civil liberty. The importance of the individual is too great for the good of the state. The principle that the majority must rule seems to find no lodgment in their brains. They feel aggrieved when in a minority, and see nothing but fight. No idea of submission to the will of the majority of the people fairly expressed, enters into their calculations. They fail to recognize that the majority is stronger in battle or council, and nothing will do them but a fight.

SIGNIFICANT ORDER PLACED.

Great Britain Gives Big Order for Flour for Jamaica.

Kingston, Jamaica, June 4.—The British government has purchased in in the United States, for delivery here, 120,000 barrels of flour for the army and navy stores. The order was placed with the Consolidated Milling Co., of Minneapolis.

The flour will be transported by the Atlas Steamship Co.

The transaction is significant as showing British preparation for an emergency.

NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

The Clyde leaves this afternoon for Florence, Ala. She is expected to cary a good load.

The W. F. Nisbet from Cincinnati passed down early this morning for Memphis, doing a good freight business.

The Tennessee is expected this afternoon for Cumberland river.

The John S. Hopkins, owing to good business, was late in arriving and departing for Louisville today.

The R. Dunbar is due this afternoon from Evansville en route to Nashville.

The Dick Fowler was out for Cairo doing a good business this forenoon.

A large force of men this morning commenced work on the little southern beauty, Annie Laurie, that is on the docks here to be almost newly rebuilt. She is to have a new hull and her machinery put in excellent repair, in addition to her cabin being remodeled and refurnished.

The gauge showed the river this morning to still be slowly falling here, and the bulletin also showed the various streams to be receding at almost every point. Verw low water is expected to prevail this summer, and business on the river will be trivial until the water comes next fall.

The City of Clarksville was out today at noon for Elizabethtown.

The Mayflower leaves St. Louis today for Tennessee river points. She will have a big crowd of excursionists.

The arrival and departure list was very small this morning although there was considerable freight handled on the levee. Wagons were buisy throughout the day taking freight to the Clyde which will depart this afternoon with a big freight trip. The other boats in and out did fair business.

LETTER LIST.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice of Paducah, McCracken county, Kentucky, uncalled for this day, June 4, 1898:

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

American Carriage Co.	Anderson, Oscar
Aveaitt, Lee	Beaty, C D
Blakely, Isom	Blackwell, W W
Brown, S F	Button Mr J Chas H
Carter, Eld M L	Cohen, Chas
Cornwell, W M	Davis, Elder
Ditler, John R	Dugger, S M
Ford, I H	Hatchet, Asa
Hill, Willie E	Hines, Pink
Helsore, Worth	Hubbard, Jimmie
Jarrett, Chas F	Kirkindall, Wm
Lambert, L	Lee, H
McClare, A S	McGoodwin, Charlie
Miller, Anderson	Orme, Jno W
Rhenn, John	Rivers, Willie
Robertson, Clay	Sharp, George
Shelby, W W	Smith, W N
Traeis, Lee	Vaughn, Samuel
Vick, W S	Wood, J L

LADIES' LIST.

Askem, Lillie M	Boyd, Miss Fannie
Fowlwell, Miss Mary Jane	King, Miss Mattie
Knight, T Margaret	Meyer, Miss Silvia
Mitchell, Miss Alice	Firman, Miss Lillie
Rose, Miss E E	Russell, Mat
Snead, Mrs Ella	Storewall, Miss Hester
Temple, Mrs Lena	

FOURTH CLASS.

Greif, Mrs Miranda	Summers, Wm

In order to obtain any of the above letters it is necessary to say that they are advertised. If no called for within ten days they will be sent to the dead letter office.

F. M. FISHER, Post Master.

TAX NOTICE.

Taxes are due for 1898. My office during the month of June will be at S. H. Winstead's drug store, corner Seventh and Washington streets. If one-half the amount of your taxes are not paid by July 1 a penalty of 5 per cent will be added to the entire amount due.

H. F. LYON,
3j10 City Tax Collector.

MONTEREY LEAVES JUNE 11.

San Francisco, June 4.—The monitor Monterey is now ready to leave for the Philippines. Her consort, the Brutus, is being rapidly finished. Both will probably leave Mare Island for Manila Saturday.

Gen. Merritt expects the Second expedition to sail Saturday, June 11. Col. Charles McClure, chief paymaster of the Philippine expeditionary force, has received orders to pay all troops destined for the Philippines up to June 30 in advance.

CROWD AT LA BELLE.

There was a large and enthusiastic crowd at La Belle park last night, although it was the fifth performance of the week. There will be a change of program Monday night, and several new and attractive features will be added. Mr. Chas. Dismond, the people of Paducah will be very glad to learn, is to remain another week and render more fine music on his harp.

LIVE BIRD SHOOT.

The Paducah Gun club is preparing to hold the first live bird shoot of the season at La Belle park. It takes place next Friday afternoon, and there will in all probability be a large crowd present to witness it.

The club will depend upon outsiders for pigeons. It will buy all pigeons that are delivered to them next Friday morning at either the Delicatessen or at La Belle park. The club will not receive birds sooner than Friday.

AN AGREEABLE SURPRISE.

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Give truth and your gifts will be paid in kind,
And honor will honor meet,
And a smile that is sweet will surely find
A smile that is just as sweet.

Give pity and sorrow to those who mourn,
You will gather in flowers again.
The scattered seeds from your thoughts are borne,
Though the sowing seemed but vain.

For life is the mirror of king and slave,
'Tis just what we are, and do.
Then give to the world the best you have,
And the best will come back to you.

—MADELINE S. BRIDGES.

An enjoyable affair of the week was the dancing party given by Miss Mary Kimbo Sowell at Ramona park Thursday evening in honor of Miss Speers of Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Mocquot entertained in a delightful, informal manner last evening in honor of Miss Sowell's guest, Miss Speers.

A missionary tea, under the auspices of the ladies of Grace church, was given Friday afternoon at the Boswell home in Arcadia.

The Literary club was entertained Friday morning by Mrs. Cook Husbands, on Jefferson street.

Mrs. I. D. Wilcox will have as guests next week Mrs. Wood, of Baton Rouge; Mrs. Long, of Louisville, and Miss Louise LaRue, of Bowling Green.

Mrs. James Clements entertained the Young Ladies' Cinque club, complimentary to Miss Glass, of Indiana, on Friday morning at her home on West Broadway.

The warm evenings of the week just past gave ample opportunity for generous patronage of theatrical attractions at LaBelle park. Fashionable audiences enjoyed the unusually interesting play board of attractions.

FACTS AND FANCIES.

The summer girl of '98 dresses in keeping with the spirit of the times. Today I encountered a genuine summer military girl. Had you seen her you would have imagined that she had been on dress parade and did not have time to change her costume. Her gown was blue and around her trim waist was a belt of red, white and blue ribbon. The glorious stars and stripes in enameled thrust pins adorned the front of her shirt waist, and the tilted sailor, trimmed in national colors, topped off this patriotic outfit. Likely the Broadway strollers thought a regiment of her would conquer the world.

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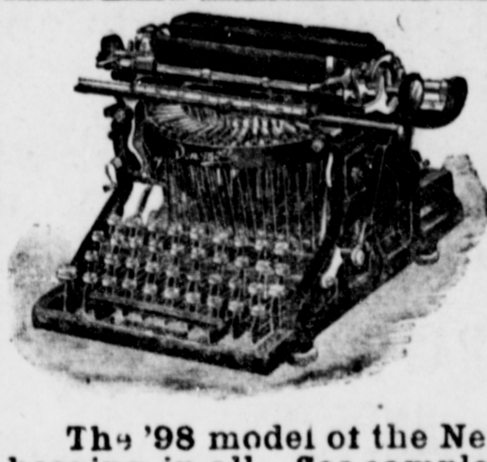

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† † †

Engine 873 has just returned from Burnside shops after receiving an overhauling. Engineer Frank Bowls has been assigned to her.

† † †

Quite a number of engineers have been "dry docked" pending further investigation from the board of strategy.

† † †

Flagman Mason has just returned from Texas where he was very successful in plucking from the Lone Star state one of its fairest flowers. This is the grandest act of your life, old boy. "Gen. 2–18."

† † †

Extra men are finding it very hard to utilize their idle time since the "discipline of record" was adopted by the I. C company the 1st of last March.

† † †

Conductor O. S. Parker came up from his home, Jackson, Tenn., this week, to resume his old job. Oscar is a very popular "captain" with the boys, and many would like to see him back at his old post.

† † †

Conductor Ridley took out the first train of gravel this a. m. to be used on the hill just north of Pierce Station, which has just been cut down. All the south grades between Fulton and Memphis are to be cut down, and when completed much longer trains will be handled.

† † †

Sixteen Knights of the Brakewheel came up from Jackson to open the "Paducah Hut" and the 14 charter members who succeeded in riding the William Goat furnished plenty of fun for the visitors. Come again, boys, we will assure you a good time and promise you that old Kentucky still abounds in the three winning cards.

† † †

Since the abolishing of trains No. 122 and 133 between Paducah and Fulton, and Nos. 203 and 204, between Fulton and Memphis, Conductors Anderson and Kinkle have been returned to freight service; 181 and 184 is a mixed train, and takes the place of 133 and 122 in handling passengers.

† † †

C. C. Charlton and Miss Willingham, sister to Agent Willingham of Water Valley, were quietly married at Dresden, Tenn., last week and are now at home to their friends at 809 Broadway.

† † †

There have been two plans submitted for the new yards at Fulton. The first submitted by Dr. Pascal and others south of the state line and the other west, tapping the main line north of Fulton and connecting this line one mile west. This latter would avoid the annoyance at the crossing, especially when passenger trains are due.

† † †

Engineer Walter Shepherd, the "high-baller" on the Cairo and Memphis run, while out exercising "Little Ships'" horse and buggy the other evening, forgot himself, and thinking he was on the 380, lost control of the reverse lever and had quite a wreck. Conductor Parker was derailed, dislocating his nose and buckling his spinal column.

† † †

It is reported that the L. & N. will restore the 10 per cent. cut in the employes' wages the first of July. This 10 per cent. saving to the system added to the running expenses for five years means that the employes worked six months free of charge to hold their jobs, while the strongest competitive line of the South, the Illinois Central, made no reduction whatever. Yet the stock remains almost double that of the former—so much for management—while the L. & N. finds it necessary to reduce wages to meet the dull times. The Illinois Central reaches out for new connections and more business. How can the L. & N. consent to this restoration in the face of the equipment expenses which, Uncle Sam says must be completed within two years?

† † †

Auditor West was in his office in the Union depot this morning for a short time, but left at 7:45 for points above.

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INTERESTING CHURCH NEWS.

The World's Sunday School Convention to Meet in London. Difficulties of Churches in Selecting a Name.

The Episcopal and Baptist Congresses—The Presbyterian Synods—Progress of the Jewish Publication Society, Etc.

New York, June 3.—About 200 delegates have thus far booked to go on the "Catalonia" from Boston June 29 to attend the World's Sunday school convention in London in middle of July. The war is keeping a very few at home. The lord mayor of London is to tender the American party a reception at the Mansion house. The convention which meets at City Temple is expected to bring together the largest number of Sunday school workers ever in convention. Recent criticisms of Sunday school methods in America have been instantly and vigorously resented, but leading American Sunday school workers admit that not a small part of the criticism is deserved. In one of the largest communities the Sunday school condition is described as chaotic. This convention is to make an earnest effort in the direction of progress. The American committees include such men as W. B. Jacobs, of Chicago, Frank Woods, of Baltimore, A. E. Dunning, of Boston and B. F. Jacobs, of Chicago. Several side trips from London have been planned by the American delegation. A reception to the delegates is to be tendered at Tremont Temple in Boston on the night before sailing, and during the voyage conferences, a model Sunday school session and a Fourth of July celebration are to be held.

THE BAPTIST CONGRESS.

The Baptist congress, whose discussion recently concerning open communion in Baptist churches called forth so many opinions, has just arranged the topics for its next meeting. The communion question is not to be brought up again, but some very pertinent topics just put on the program relate to Baptist progress and opportunities for the same, in the realms of thought, and forms of organization; the ground for the acceptance of the biblical books as our bible; paternalism in government and man's second redemption in the light of evolution. The place for the sitting of the congress has not yet been selected.

WHAT'S IN A NAME.

A denomination that has a membership of above 1,000,000 is engaged in a curious discussion about its name. Some members of the denomination referred to call themselves Disciples of Christ, but other members object to it, and say they are simply Christians. The other party replies that that is not a distinctive title; that all followers of Christ are Christians.

The retort is all followers of Christ are also His disciples, and even if the popular name be employed it should begin with a small "d." To this the principal newspaper organ of the denomination imagines there soon may be, possibly in the same town, "The Small d Church" and "The Big D Church." The controversy is an old one, but was given a new cause for breaking out by the proposition of another small sect, calling itself the "Christian Connection," to amalgamate with Congregationalists. Some of the committee for the first named, which has a membership of about 100,000, suggested that the Congregationalists, who number 600,000, adopt their name. The two denominations agree in doctrinal, but are not likely to come together solely because they cannot agree upon a name to call themselves. Their discussion about a name started it anew in the larger denomination Disciples of Christ, where there has never been entire harmony in practice over a common designation.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH CONGRESS.

The Episcopal church congress, which found so great difficulty in getting a place to meet, promises to be more largely attended than any similar congress. The reason is said to be that the clergy, unwilling to go abroad on account of the war, are substituting the congress. Foreign missions are to be thoroughly discussed among the speakers being the Rev. Drs. George William Douglas, late of New York, and Reese F. Alsop, of Brooklyn. The moral attitude of corporations will be discussed by Ernest H. Crosby, Francis A. Lewis and Prof. John C. Schwab. American institutions and the political machine is a topic that is expected to bring out some sharp things, for Gen. Wager Spayne, John Brooks Leavitt, and the Hon. Delano C. Calvin from the laity, and the Rev. Prescott Evarts, a son of William M. Evarts, and the Rev. E. Winchester Donald, of Trinity, Boston, are the speakers. Protestantism and Catholics of the Anglican communion will have no bearing upon Roman Catholicism since the reference is to the so-called Catholic party in the Episcopal church, which is more felt in England in the established church there. A paper will be read by the Rev. Dr. Green, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa and discussion will follow by the Rev. Murray Bartlett, of Rochester, and the Rev. J. M. Page, of Lebanon, Pa.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD.

The report of the synodical sustentation committee to the Presbyterian general assembly just held is fairer than friends of the home board in general expected. The committee was appointed to harmonize the various methods in use in different synods, and rather unexpectedly it seems to have succeeded. It permits self-supporting synods, or those to hereafter become such to continue their work according to methods found most efficient, but requires them to make every effort to increase their contributions to the central organization for the support of work in the dependent synods. All synods are required to report their affairs to the home board, the same to be reported to the general assembly. It is predicted that under this regulation the secretary of the home board will be a welcome visitor to the synods of Illinois and Indiana. In the past the two secretaries of this board have felt that they were not wanted at the synods named, and have remained away from them. There has not been an official action; simply an understanding. The report also indicates that no action looking to the removal of the headquarters of the home board to Chicago or St. Louis is know in immediate prospect.

OHIO METHODISTS.

Ohio Methodists have not completed plans for the celebration of the centenary of Methodism in that state. President McKinley will be present if war conditions permit, and the bishops who are natives of Ohio, Foster, Merrill, Ninde, Joyce, Mc Cabe and Cranston. The first Methodist society in Ohio was organized in 1798 in Cincinnati. The centenial celebration is to take place in the hall of the Ohio Wesleyan University at Delaware June 21 to 24. A very long program has been prepared, with speakers among ministry and laity from every part of the state. The addresses will show Ohio Methodism in statesmanship, law, among the colored people, on horseback, among the Germans and other races, in literature and education, and as missionary workers to other states. Many eminent Methodists from beyond the state are to be heard, including Rev. Dr. A. B. Leonard and the Rev. Dr. C. H. Payne of New York. Ohio Methodists have risen to the occasion and are doing their utmost to make the celebration, not an Ohio but an international one.

JEWISH PUBLICATION SOCIETY.

It is but ten years since the Jews had a publication society. That organization has just celebrated the end of its first decade. In spite of prejudices and difficulties greater than are encountered by Christian bodies, the society has made steady progress, until it has become one of the most powerful educational agencies among the Jews of America, through the dissemination of Jewish literature and the encouragement of Jewish writers. The society has nearly 5,000 members, gotten in not small part through the personal canvas of the society's agent, who made a tour of the country in order personally to propagate its interests. As an aid to the Jewish ministry the society has a wide and useful field.

IN PORTO RICO.

Paul Van Syckell, who has spent the last seven years on the island of Porto Rico in the service of the British government, arived in New York this week, quitting the island because he was treated as if an American, the Spanish citizens refusing to make a distinction. Speaking of church conditions in Porto Rico he said there is one Presbyterian congregation, having a place of worship at Ponce. It is allied, not with American but with British Presbyterians. Its membership is small and it has fared badly since trouble began in Cuba, the sentiment in Porto Rico being of course affected. There are 58 towns in which there are Roman Catholic churches, all of them the finest buildings in the place. These churches are built usually of stone. The Roman church is, he says, very different there from what it is in England or America, it being often used for political purposes; a penalty for its close alliance with the state. People are often hung up and whipped in the churches by command of the political authorities in order to extort from them confessions concerning themselves or others. There is only one hospital on the island—an army one. There is no hospital for the general public to go to in need. The schools are few, none of them endowed, and all teach little beside the Roman Catholic church, its history and its doctrine. One half the cost of the schools is paid by the government, the other by the parents of the children who attend. At 14 years the children must quit studying in the schools. Those who wish to study longer go to Spain and to France.

A NOBLE ACT.

Destruction of the Intrepid and Its Men in the Harbor of Tripoli.

One of the noblest and most self-sacrificing feats in the history of the American navy occurred in September, 1804, where Commodore Preble attacked Tripoli. He bombarded the town for an hour and a half, when, the wind rising, he was compelled to withdraw.

It was then decided to send either an immense torpedo or floating mine to destroy the Tripolitan cruisers in the harbor. For this dangerous expedition the Intrepid of Decatur's famous exploit was again selected.

One hundred barrels of gunpowder were placed under her decks and over these were laid shot and shell and irregular pieces of iron. Combustibles were placed in other parts of the vessel, to set on fire at a given signal.

This destructive sea monster was placed in charge of Capt. Somers, who, with Lieut. Wadsworth, had been selected from the men volunteering for the perilous undertaking. A young officer by the name of Israel also got on the Intrepid by stealth. These brave officers were the only persons to row the two boats that were to tow the torpedo into the harbor and carry away the officers afterward.

At nine o'clock September 4, 1804, an unusually dark night, the Intrepid was towed into the harbor. Upon the American warships eyes were strained trying to pierce the gloom that closed in on the Intrepid.

Suddenly a fierce light illumined the dark waters of the bay, throwing into bold relief town, castle, shipping and shores. Then came the report of a terrific explosion that made earth, sea and air tremble for miles around. Flaming fragments fell in a fearful shower, and then all was again silence and impenetrable darkness.

All through the long night hours anxious men paced the American vessels, watching and listening in all directions of the explosion for the return of the brave men who went upon this hazardous expedition. They, poor fellows, never came out of the harbor, nor have they ever been heard of. Their fate has been a profound mystery for nearly a century. The corsairs of the Tripolitan navy were destroyed, however, and the sacrifice was not in vain.—Chicago Chronicle.

WHY HE QUIT.

The Irishman Didn't Like the Job of Wheeling Lightning.

A contractor who has recently returned from the greater altitudes of Colorado was relating some of his experiences while engaged in the construction of a railroad on the mountain side.

"You see," said he, "when one of those electrical storms come up you don't want to have anything about your clothes that will act as a conductor. The first thing you know your hair stands out straight and buzzes and crackles like a swarm of bees, and if you have any iron in your hands drop it or you will be sorry that you are living.

"Well, we were working one afternoon when it began to get dark and so cold it seemed to chill you to the marrow. Pretty soon the roots of our hair commenced to tingle, and I told the men to quit and go down the trail. We all started down, but one husky Irishman named Fogarty, who went up to fetch back his iron wheelbarrow. Well, when he got that barrow back into the electric zone the electricity commenced to play around the barrow, and Fogarty and the barrow were enveloped in the blue flame.

"Fogarty dropped the handles with a yell and lumbered down the trail to where we were watching him and demanded his 'time.' When we got our breaths back from laughing the foreman asked him what he wanted to quit for. He said: 'Quit, is it? An' why wouldn't I quit? I'll wurrok on no job where I have to wheel lightnin'.'"—Chicago Record.

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COLORED DEPARTMENT.

Mr. Elmos M. Willis left yesterday morning on the steamer Joe Fowler for Smithland, where he and Miss Maggie Mexin of that place were united in marriage at 9 o'clock last evening. The two will return to the city Monday.

Rev. Washington, of Illinois, who has been assisting Rev. Glover in a revival at the First Ward Baptist church, left yesterday for his home.

Mrs. Sarah L. Mansfield, of Seventh street, has been on the sick list for several days past.

Rev. J. W. Hawkins will administer the divine ordinance of baptism Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Washington street Baptist church, at which time the pastor will preach from the subject: "The Scriptural Mode of Baptism." The public is cordially invited.

Presiding Elder L. B. Sims left today for several visits in Graves county.

The My Choice club, of the Washington street Baptist church, will serve nice barbecued meats this evening at the residence of Mr. John Clark, on North Tenth.

The ladies of the St. James A. M. E. church will give a fish fry this evening.

Our ball team evidently believes that while there is life there is hope. They will go out tomorrow and prove to the Jerseyites that they have not forgotten how to play ball, the boasts of the Cairoites to the contrary, notwithstanding.

LOVE MAKING—NIT.

The sickening sight of courting by small boys and girls, many of the girls being nurses in private families, on exhibition daily in the court house yard, should by all means, be broken up. Once before the attention of the public was called to this conduct on the part of unscrupulous boys and girls who every afternoon make it a points to meet in Yeiser park, and there, under the shower of sweet nothings which they heap upon one another, they are stimulated into premature men and women. Parents and guardians should look after this matter before it results in some serious consequences.

"There's the City of Sheffield," remarked Mr. H. B. Davis, to a small group of men the other evening, as that old steamer was signaling the city as she came out of the Tennessee. "How do you know one boat's whistle from another?" asked Bob Davis of the I. C. railroad. "A constant hearing of the different whistles will acquaint almost anyone with them sufficiently to distinguish one from another," replied Davis.

"Yes," spoke up Lon Proctor, "not many years ago, the boys were so well acquainted with the boats that entered this port, that they could tell them by their smoke." Adjourned.

Mr. Pucket, of West Burnett street, has been on the sick list since his return from Mound City.

BASE BALL.

The Cairo base ball team will come up Sunday morning and cross bats with the Paducah team at Rowlandtown park Monday. Game called at 3:30 p. m. Admission. Men 25c, ladies 15c. Everybody invited.

Mr. Oscar Winn, of West Burnett Street, has been on the sick list for several days.

The Carpet club of the Washington street Baptist church will meet this evening at the residence of Mrs. Nelson Owens.

There will be an entertainment this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Morris 807 Tennessee street.

A donkey entertainment will be given by the Young People's Christian Union club this evening at the Washington street church. All friends invited.

Rev. S. R. Cotter will occupy the pulpit at the Trimble street Christian church tomorrow.

A Much-Used Canal.

Germany's Baltic North Sea canal was used during the last business year by 8,287 steamers, averaging 1,700 tons, and by 11,673 sailing vessels, averaging less than 40 tons. The total tonnage was 1,818,458, an increase of 345,000 over the year before. The average time of passage for steamers was 9 hours and 35 minutes; for tows it was 23 hours and 48 minutes. The receipts were 1,016,854 marks; the expenses 2,074,792 marks. The mere cost of maintenance is double the total receipts, and there seems no likelihood of any increase in receipts. Nine-tenths of the vessels using the canal were German.

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In Humanity's Cause Our Flag is Unfurled!

"The conflict deepens. On! ye brave,
Now rush to glory"—Cuba save.
Brave patriots, all "your banners wave,
And charge with all your chivalry."

O'er Atlantic's wave McKinley brave
Sends our noble seamen, undaunted, true,
A fair isle to save or find a grave,
And plant a new "red, white and blue."

"What higher aim can patriot know?
What destiny more grand"
Than the soldier's fight for freedom's right,
To free a suffering land?

The Spanish Dons ere long shall taste
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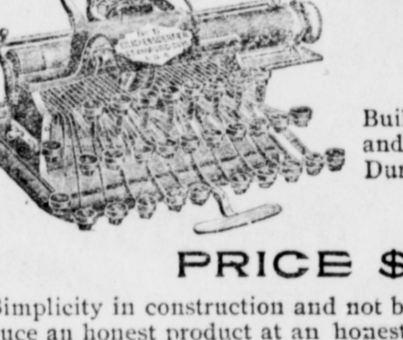

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Shirt waists in every conceivable style and shade. Also beautiful white piquets, the loveliest waist of the season. Regular price $1.50, June clearing sale price, $1.00.

Beautiful white duck and pique suits, regular price, $1.00 and $4.50, June clearing sale price $2.48.

All our handsome extra width silk and satin skirts, regular price $6.00 and $7.00, June clearing sale price $4.48.

All our fine percale wrappers, regular price $1.50 to $2.00, reduced to 75c and $1.00.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

One-hundred new mid-summer pattern hats, regular price $4.00 and $4.50, June clearing sale price $2.00 and $2.25.

All our very fine dress sailors, regular price 1.50 and 1.75, June clearing sale price 1.00.

A new lot of sailors just received at 10, 25 and 50c.

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DIED OF CONSUMPTION.

"Dr." Henry Smith, over whose remains Coroner Phelps held an inquest, followed several of his family to the grave who died from the same disease. He lost several sons from it, among others being Jim Smith, from whom the old man took $600, while the sick man was helpless on the bed. For this he was tried and convicted, being given three years in the penitentiary.

Gov. Bradley pardoned him not long since, but he did not live long to enjoy his freedom.

LOCAL MENTION.

WANTED.

Good white girl. Apply 224 North Sixth street at once. 3j2

BLANKS TO GO BACK.

Judging from reports from Cairo, Gov. Bradley has concluded that it will be to his interest to issue a requisition for Bob Blanks, the Mayfield rapist, and has issued one on Gov. Tanner. It is therefore likely that Blanks will soon be on Kentucky soil—and in Kentucky soil, also.

ICE CREAM.

The "Wonder" Freezer—sold only by Hank Bros. & Jones—makes the best cream with the least ice. 3j3

WENT TO METROPOLIS.

The Robert Sherman company, which opened the season at LaBelle park, went to Metropolis, where it will close its engagement tonight: it opened there Thursday.

Hank Bros. & Jones want to sell you a "Siberia" Refrigerator if you need one. It is the best. 3j3

JAILER MILLER OUT.

Jailer Joe Miller is out after his recent illness, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

Deputy Circuit Clerk Will C. Kidd is still confined to his room, having been ill for over a week.

Buy your wife a gasoline stove of Hank Bros. & Jones. The have the only safe one made. 3j3

NEW STORE.

Mr. Max B. Nahm, of Bowling Green, has purchased the building between Klein's cigar store and Gilson's paint store, on Broadway, and will erect at once a three-story brick building, which will be occupied by Hayes & Foster, the Trenton, Tenn., dry goods men who are to move here. They will be here by fall.

Drink Stutz's delicious Orange Phosphate. 2j3

TEACHERS' MEETING.

There was a large crowd at the regular teachers' meeting at the high school building last night, and an entertaining program was rendered by those present.

Coldest beer in the city at Lagomarsino's. tf

METROPOLIS POSTMASTER.

Mr. W. H. Kraper, the well known Metropolis cigar man, has been appointed postmaster at Metropolis, and his appointment gives general satisfaction. Mr. Will Curtis will be his assistant.

CLOSES TONIGHT.

The Commercial hotel closes tonight, Mr. McCammon having gone into the New Richmond. The latter place is turning the people away every night, so great is the rush, and the proprietors are very much gratified over the prospects.

PAINFULLY HURT.

Mrs. Mat Parrot, an aged lady residing at Fourth and Jackson streets, met with a serious accident last night.

Several months ago she fell and broke a limb, and was on crutches when she fell yesterday afternoon and broke her right arm. Dr. Horace Rivers was called and dressed her injuries.

PERSONALS.

J W. Solar, of Cincinnati, is in the city.

J. W. Sedberry, of Smithland, was in the city today.

J. M. Menderhout, of Evansville, is at the Palmer.

Miss Annie Webb has returned from Washington City.

Miss Ada Thompson has gone to Pembroke, Ky., on a visit.

Adolph Sturgis and Duke Allen have gone to Nashville to work.

Mr. J. S. Downes has returned from a trip down the N. C. & St. L.

Hon. John K. Hendrick went up to Smithland this morning to spend Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rhodes and daughter, Miss Jennie, have gone to Shreevesport to locate.

Mr. Morris Cooley and sister returned on the Hopkins this morning from a round trip to Evansville.

Mrs. Dr. W. P. Ross, of Madisonville, who has been visiting Miss Annie May Yeiser, left this morning for home.

Mr. John Collier left this morning for Los Angeles, Cal., where he will probably reside in the future. He only recently returned from there.

Mrs. Schroath left this afternoon for Creal Springs to be with her son, Mr. Henry Schroath, who was taken suddenly ill there a day or two ago.

Mesdames H. A. and E. B. Hardiso, and A. D. Knox, and Miss Fannie Knox, of Nashville, were in the city this morning en route up the Tennessee on the Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Polk Ross and little son, John T., went to Huntington, Tenn., today. Mr Ross will take the management of the Huntington Republican, the position he resigned on removing to Paducah over two years ago.

Mr. Walter J. Frazer formerly of this city is among the volunteers of Louisiana. His company, E., Second regiment, left Mobile on the third for Cuba. Mr. Frazer belonged to company C when it was first organized here,

Mrs. Wm. McLennan, of Cincinnati, came down on the Nisbet this morning and is a guest of her sisier, Mrs. J. J. Dufour, on North Fifth. She will remain here a short time before going to Dawson for several weeks sojourn.

ALL DROWNED.

Old Dog Tray and his kin die. Funeral in three sections.

Yesterday afternoon a funeral procession left the city hall. It was in three sections, as the railroad man says. The services were conducted by Officer Shoemaker, who was on this occasion also a grave maker.

All the dogs that Marshal Collins had been collecting for the past several days were there, and they were not in the best of spirits. They howled and fought and snarled, but to no purpose. They were conveyed out to Noble's pit, and there consigned to the murky depths with the crawfishes and malarial germs. The wooden cages were then raised and the remains were taken up on the hill and given a decent burial at Marshal Collins' expense.

Marshal Collins will begin taking another collection Monday morning.

ROLLER WAS OUT.

It Has Recovered From Its Recent Illness and Is in Shape Again.

The street roller was taken out again this morning to be used in breaking the streets for the sewer ditchers.

The first thing it did was to frighten an express driver's horse near the city hall, the animal turning the wagon over and dumping the driver out on the side walk. He escaped injury, however, and was driving off the next seen of him.

RESOLUTIONS.

We, the teachers of the Paducah public schools, in regular meeting assembled, this June 3, 1898, with sorrow learn that our worthy colaborer, Miss Mary Dodson, assistant principal of the High school, has suffered the loss by death of her beloved mother, and do hereby tender to her, to her aged father, and to her sister our deepest sympathy in this time of their greatest bereavement. May a kind Providence that careth for His own, sustain them by His spirit, is the prayer of the teachers.

Sincerely,
C. A. NORVELL,
EMMA I. MORGAN,
C. B. HATFIELD,
Committee.

PATRIOTISM AT STILES.

"Old Glory" is a familiar feature of patriot life in Stiles, six miles from the city. There is floating from a 50-foot flag staff there a large American and a Cuban flag. There are on a high hill at the home of Mr. John W. Cassell, one of the best known citizens of the county. The flags were made by Mrs. R. D. McCutchen, of that place. The flags have attracted a great deal of attention, and can be seen for miles around.

PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT.

Those who attended the entertainment at the First Christian church last night were indeed pleased with the entertainment given by Miss Ingles. The crowd was not large, but it was select, and everybody was pleased.

SMALL BLAZE.

The fire department was called out this morning about 11 o'clock to extinguish a small blaze in the roof at Riglesberger's saw mill. The flames were subdued without damage.

THE MAYOR

Appears as the Chief of Police, and Is Invited to Have a Little Fight.

The Woman Apologized in Court This Morning—Other Proceedings of City Court.

Mayor Lang has as hard a time convincing people that he is an officer of the law as he does that he is mayor. He made his first arrest yesterday afternoon, but he had a difficult time doing it.

He was riding towards town on West Court street when he saw a couple of darkeys preparing to fight. Jumping off his horse he placed them under arrest. They proved to be "Burly" Dixon and George Goodman. Everything went well until Octavia Goodman, a woman claiming to be Goodman's wife, arrived on the scene. She disdainfully scrutinized the mayor and then exclaimed: "You Gawge, cum go home wif me. Dat white man aint no p'liceman. He aint got no right to 'rest yo'. Cum 'long, I say."

George looked puzzled, for he knew the mayor had authority, and also that the woman had a little, too. He was undecided until Officer Gray appeared and arrested George. He then didn't want to go, and said he was in no hurry. The officer thought one that he would have to knock him down.

"Jes' let 'im hit yo', Gawge, and he'll hab to walk ovah ma dead body rat heah. He'll hab to kill me sho'." The officer didn't hit George that round.

The beliligerents were taken to the lockup, followed by the woman. About half a block away she fell to the rear, and met the mayor coming towards town. She said he looked at her like he wanted to crow over it, so she told him to get off the horse and she would whip him right there in the street. He didn't get off. This morning the woman was very contrite and said she had no idea the man was mayor, or she wouldn't have said a word to him. Her apology was so abject that Judge Sanders dismissed the case against her. The men were fined, Goodman $1 and costs and the other man $5 and costs.

The case against Steve Clark, charged with beating Pearl Smith, was left open. She was not in court to testify against him, and came in for a good roast from the court, and an attachment was issued against her. The case will be concluded Monday.

John Greer, colored, was charged with walking with a prostitute, and was fined $5 and costs.

Finn Hamilton, who has been wanted for several days on a charge of whipping his girl wife, was arrested this morning and presented in the police court on a charge of wife beating. The commonwealth was not ready and neither was he, so the case was continued until Monday.

FOR FORGERY.

Young Man Arrested Here on a Warrant From Murray.

A. B. Youngblood is the name of a young man arrested at the Union depot late yesterday afternoon by Officer Hoyer on a charge of forgery, committed at Dexter, Calloway county. The young man was caught at the Union depot, where he had his baggage checked. An officer was notified and Constable Hargrove came up from Dexter and took charge of him.

He immediately swore out a warrant against Youngblood before Judge Sanders, charging him with forging the name of Mr. W. L. Whitnell, of Murray, and a director in the Western District Warehouse company, of the city, for $25. The check was made payable in the Murray bank. Youngblood then attempted to sell the check to Constable Hargrove, saying that he was in a hurry to leave the county and go to Mayfield and take a position. Finally he succeeded in getting James Belcher, a farmer residing at Flint, Calloway county, to cash the check. Mr. Belcher gave him $23 for the check.

The officer and his prisoner spent the night at the New Richmond and left this morning on the early train for Murray, Judge Sanders having formally turned him over to the Calloway officer.

UNANIMOUS.

So the Democratic Committee May Make Wheeler's Nomination.

The Democratic Primary Called for July May Be Declared Off By the District Committee.

There is a probability that there will in a few days be held a meeting of the Democratic District Congressional committee here to declare the democratic primary announced for July 16 off, and declare Hon. Chas. K. Wheeler the nominee.

The primary would cost something near $2000, and this of course would have to be paid by Mr. Wheeler, or apportioned among the candidates. If there are to be no other candidates there is no use going to the expense of having a primary, is the opinion of the most prominent democrats.

It is only a few days until the time for placing the money for entering the primary will have expired, and then it is probable the committee meeting will be called.

Several candidates for congress have been mentioned since the withdrawal of Mr. James, but none of them have announced. One, Senator Mc D. Ferguson, was seen by a reporter this morning and emphatically denied that he would make the race, or ever had any intention of so doing.

Hon. Thos. Corbett is also mentioned, and when seen by a reporter a day or to ago, said he had not decided what he would do; that there was plenty of time.

IGNORANT OF THE LAW.

The Kentucky troops are verdant so far as technical knowledge of militarism is concerned, says a letter to the Covington Commonwealth and to this may be attributed the grossest violations of military discipline and the lenient way it is dealt with. Within the past week not less than 15 privates have been found asleep at their posts. The penalty for this offense is death, but so far a guard house sentence of 24 hours only is imposed

AFTER A CRIMINAL.

Marshal Collins is in receipt of a letter from Sheriff Weissenger, of DeSota County, Miss., offering a reward of $500 for George Littlefield, colored, who is wanted there for murder.

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Are extended to draw you here that we may demonstrate to you that this is the Store that will serve your best interests.

A Great Volley of Summer Dress Goods Just Received.

The choicest products of the season. Lovely woman, dressed in these bewildering styles of gauzy dress stuffs, will be a living boquet of beauty.

We believe it when we say that we have the **newest**, most **beautiful** and the **largest** assortment of printed **summer dress goods** ever offered in Paducah.

We believe it when we say that this assortment is a **presentation** of the **highest quality** ever offered at the prices we name.

We believe ten thousand women of Paducah and vicinity will confirm our good opinion of these goods by most liberal purchases. We mention only four items:

5,000 yards of a positive 10c quality of
Summer Dress Stuffs
at a 5½c price.
3,000 yards of a positive 15c quality of
Summer Dress Stuffs
at a 9½c price.
2,000 yards of a positive 20c quality of
Summer Dress Stuffs
at a 12½c price.
1,000 yards of a positive 40c quality of
Summer Dress Stuffs
at a 25c price.

A Great Volley of Millinery Values.

"Victory is the word."

Right prices, right assortment, with right ideas of business, have won for us the most successful season of our business history.

Read carefully the following **price list:**

$1.25 white and black trimmed tape sailors 75c
$1.00 white short back **Panama** sailors, velvet trimmed 49c
75c white and colored broad-brimmed sailors 42c
25c white and black plain **straw** sailors 10c
$1.25 ladies' white **leghorns**, extra fine 89c
$1.00 ladies' white **leghorns** ... 73c
75c misses' colored **leghorns** ... 35c
50c misses' and children's white leghorns, lace edge 15c
50c child's white lace **straw** flats 21c
25c **forget-me-nots**, in blue only, 10c
25c **velvet roses**, two roses and two buds, all colors 8c
200 fine American Beauty **roses**, 11c

These goods and prices should tempt you to buy, whether you heed a hat or not.

A Clothing Volley of Amazing Values.

Phenomenal price-making characterizes this sale. **Clothing, shirts, ties, collars, socks, suspenders** and men's **hats** at prices you've never owned them before.

It's a crime against your family to throw your money away by not coming here. Prices on paper are not convincing; it's a look at the goods that reaches the heart. Our June Battle prices are away below value.

Suits $2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 7.50, 10.00, 12.00, 15.00.

June Battle prices for nobby **hats**, worth double, 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, 1.50 and 2.00.

June Battle prices for **shirts**—never such pronounced bargains offered before in Paducah.

Hot shot at 39c, 48c, 75c and 98c.

A Volley of Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Another big stock just received. All waists sold heretofore at $2 now at 1.00.

The best **waists** ever put on sale at 50c, 75c and $1.

A Volley of Ladies' Ready-Made Skirts.

June battle prices, $1, 1.25, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 5.00 and 6.88.

BIG VOLLEYS OF SHOES

Shoes have received orders to move.

They must not linger in the going—but go. The price inducements should give them uncommon interest to you. See our salesman about them.

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